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# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 154

**Part B for** November 1905.

SUBJECT

Promotion of Miss G L Palethorpe, Lady Superintendent of the Maharani's College at Mysore.

FILE No 40 of 1903 04

*Promotion to Miss G L Palethorpe Lady Superintendent of the Maharani s College at Mysor*

1 From the Inspector General of Education D O dated 29th June 1904
Forwards copy of letter dated the 10th June 1904 from Miss G L Palethorpe Lady Superintendent of the Maharani s College at Mysore requesting that she may be promoted to class A 2 (400 50 700) of Educational officers

2 To the Inspector General of Education No 9498 dated 12th April 1905
Requests him to obtain the explanation of the Lady Superintendent on the recent unfavorable report of the Maharani s College at Mysore

3 From ditto No 11257 dated 30th June 1905
Submits the memo of the Lady Superintendent explaining the unfavorable report of the College together with the Inspector General s marginal notes and requests that the College may be ordered to be inspected by the Education Department every year regularly and that the Lady Superintendent may be informed that the College is under the control of the Government and the Education Department and not of the Committee as she appears to understand

4 To the Inspector General of Education No 9248 dated 21st November 1905
Requests to inspect the College himself this year and submit a report at an early date

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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File No 40—1903-04

File Heading

Promotion to Miss G L Palethorpe, Lady Supdt of the Maharani's College at Mysore

From The Inspr Genl of Edn

No D-0 Dated 29/6/04 Received 30/6/04

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Brief Abstract of Letter

Forwards for orders Copy of letter dt the 10th June 1904 from Miss G L Palethorpe, Lady Supdt of the Maharani's College at Mysore, Requesting that she may be promoted to class A2 (400-50-700) of Educational officers.

NOTES AND ORDERS

Notes—First sheet

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# Submitted to His Highness

Miss Palethorpe joined the Education Department on the 1st January 1901, the terms accepted by her being that she should start on Rs 400 and rise to Rs 500 by annual increments of Rs 20, with Rs 60 additional for house rent or a free house. In the usual course she would have got the maximum pay of Rs 500, according to the terms of her contract, only from 1st January '06. At the end of the first year of her service, however, the recommendation made by the Committee for the annual increment being raised to Rs 50 was complied with, and thereby she has been able to draw the maximum pay from January 1903, that is, for nearly three years before it became due. Even before she reached the maximum, the committee of the Maharani's College made a recommendation in March 1902 for her promotion to A II grade, but after consideration obviously [illegible] a little [illegible]

ear after she joined the College, it was considered
desirable to allow some more time to elapse to judge
of her work Miss Palethorpe however has been frequently
asking for the higher grade, but as a matter of fact,
it cannot be said that the length of her service
as head of the Maharani's College gives her a claim
for promotion Misses Weir and Tait were promoted
to the higher grade after nearly six years' service H
But in the case of Miss Palethorpe the terms of her
contract have been overlooked once and they may per-
haps be overlooked again if there were no other
objection Mr Bhabha is by no means favourably im-
-pressed with the progress of the several departments
of the Institution He considers that Middle and
Primary classes have been sadly neglected, the attend- E
ance being V Class-3, IV- 7, III- 11, II- 19, I- 31,
Infant B- 15, Infant A- 230, and that there is hardly
any proper classification or organization or steady
work in the classes The teaching power allowance for
the [illegible] is, so it seems that

the results of the public examinations cannot be said to bring credit to the Institutions The question was carefully considered in Council and the opinion was

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that in the face of the Inspector-General's unfavourable report on the state of the school, supported as it was, by his Inspectors, it was not proper to promote Miss Palethorpe to the higher grade at once I communicated Mr Bhabha's report to the President of the

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Committee and his suggestion is that an advance increment may be given and the question of confirmation in the regular grade may be decided after calling for further report from the Inspector-General on the state of the school Such a course would not be proper and would be opposed to the precedents of Messrs Weir and Tait whose promotions were given only after assurance of satisfactory work was obtained

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**Record of Case submitted for the orders of His Highness the Maharaja**

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## *Subject*

Question of promoting Miss G J Palethorp - Lady Superintendent, Maharani's Girls College Mysore to class A II

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## *Order*

Before final orders are passed I think the Lady Superintendents' explanation of the recent unfavourable report might be placed on record & Considered

~~KRW~~
1/4/05

Call for her explanation at once - submit through the President
2 Sec of Com
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2 To the Dpl of Edn in Mysore
No 9498 dt 12/4/05
Requests him to obtain the explanation of the Lady Supdt on the recent unfavorable Report of the Maharanis College at Mysore

3 From- Do- No 11257/699 dt 30/6/05
Submits the memo of the Lady Supdt explaining the unfavorable report of the College together with the Dpl's marginal notes and requests that the College may be ordered to be inspected by the Edn Dept every year regularly ~~Subd for orders~~ and that the Lady Supdt ~~Note 1/7/05~~ may be informed that the College is under the ~~direct~~ control of the Govt and the Edn Dept and not of the Committee as she appears to understand
Subd for orders
1/7/05

Submitted to the Dewan Sahib thro' the Secretary
7/7/1905

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Mrs Beadon adheres to her opinion - He deals with the Palace steps explanations

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Senatus and considers them all unsatisfactory. This is a purely departmental matter and I cannot see any way to depart from the Regl. Annual inspections ought to be made the Rule and cleared be Khiel[illegible] restricted when the next inspection being made by Mr Rhodes himself if possible

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To Committee

92/5.10.05. 5/10/1905

I urgently recommend support. Mrs Rhodes's application from personation on the grounds of the unfavourable report of the I G of B. The marking of the Entertainment can only



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As referred to by the Head of the Dept. Colonel Sands the Quartermaster in his humble opinion, strengthen & accepting the views & letters from Messrs Patterson Sons, owners & requested special treatment also the terms of their contract be executed in favor of them, they could have therefore no manner of grievance, & under existing circumstances this long connection and [illegible] by Quartermaster should not be altered, much less those Messrs should get [illegible]

BW 7/10/05

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*Submitted to His Highness*

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As directed by His Highness on the 1st April 1905, the explanation of the Lady Superintendent of the Maharani's College regarding the unfavorable inspection report of the Inspector General of Education has been obtained and placed on the record The Inspector General of Education considers the explanation unsatisfactory, a view which the Councillors accept I agree with them The questions involved are highly technical The Inspecting officers and the Inspector General of Education are unanimously of the opinion that the working of the Maharani's College is far from satisfactory The Lady Superintendent has explained a few points and attempted to explain certain others But her explaration as regards the incompleteness of the College Registers, the deviations from the recognized departmental systems of working and the congestion of the Infant A Class appear to me to be unsatisfactor[illegible] these circumstances His Highness may be

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pleased to accept the opinion of the Council already expressed Dr, Bhabha will be asked to inspect the College himself at an early date and to submit a report to the Government The question of Miss Palethorpe's promotion may again be considered after the receipt of his report

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**Record of Case submitted for the orders of His Highness the Maharaja**

No 324

25 Nov 282

## *Subject*

Further note regarding the promotion of Miss Palethorpe, Lady Superintendent, Maharani's Girls College, Mysore.

## *Order*

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I agree that the matter, should stand over till the result of the forthcoming inspection is known

~~KRW~~

15/11/05

Write back to Mysore Whether the Dewan's remarks and report are awaited

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OFFICE OF
THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION
IN MYSORE

Bangalore 29 June 1904

Dear Sir Krishnamurti,

I beg to submit herewith a copy of Miss Palethorpe's letter of June 10 in which she asks to be placed on Grade A II of Educational Officers. I did not like to trouble you about her request last time I saw you in Mysore, as you were not quite well. She urges me however to place her

matter before you I therefore do so I am not aware of any promise given by you to Mr Fraser or Mrs Palethorpe, as Mr Fraser had probably a private interview with you I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know what reply I should give to Mrs Palethorpe

Yours sincerely

H J Braddon

Sir P M Krishnamurti KCSI

~~OFFICE OF~~
~~THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION~~
Maharaja's College ~~IN MYSORE~~
~~Bangalore~~ Mysore June 10- 1904

Dear Mr Bhabha

Before entering on the several school subjects about which I want to consult you, I wish to speak to you about my grade

It is now over two years since the Committee, the Dewan having suggested to Mr Fraser that the question should be put before them, unanimously recommended that I should be raised to the grade A II and it is very nearly two years since the Govt replied that the question

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OFFICE OF
~~THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION~~
IN MYSORE

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I can, if you wish, show you the letter I had from Mr Fraser, after his first interview with the Dewan about my Grade.

Believe me

Yours faithfully

(Sd) Grace L Palethorpe

Received
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**From**

**Secy to the Govt of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl and Rev Depts**

To

The Inspector Gal of Educational Progs

Dated 12 3

Despatched 3 April 1905

Received

General No 9498

No Edl Sel

Enclosure No

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Correspondence ending with his D O dated the 27th December 1904 on the subject of miss E Palethorpe's promotion to class A II

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With reference to the above, I have the honour to request the Inspector General to be so good through the Pendut of the Committee as to obtain the explanation of miss Palethorpe on the present performance

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of the [illegible] mechanical engineering
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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE

No 11257/699

Bangalore, 30th June 1905

From

H J BHABHA, Esq., M.A.,

*Inspector General of Education in Mysore*

To BK Venkatavaradhiyangar Esq.,
Secretary to the Govt of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl & Revenue Depts,
Bangalore

SIR,

With reference to your docket No 9498 dated 12th April 1905 and subsequent reminders I have the honour to inform you that the explanation of Miss Palethorpe on the unfavourable Inspection Reports on the High School and Middle School Departments of the Maharani's College has been obtained through the President of the College Committee. As the explanation showed that Miss Palethorpe had not understood many of the Inspecting Officer remarks, I saw Miss Palethorpe in Mysore on the 28th June and showed her how these remarks were justified and how far her own explanations were circumstantially factory. At the same time I showed her how her

remarks on the points she has newly raised in her explanation were not justifiable.

2. I submit the Lady Superintendent's Memorandum and its appendix together with the original inspection Reports for the consideration and orders of Government. On the margin of the Memorandum and its appendix I have entered in red-ink notes to show how far her remarks and explanations are unsatisfactory. These notes were the subject of my interview with her on the 28th, and nothing that she had to say about them necessitated any alteration in the notes

3. I submit that Government may be pleased to order that the institution should be regularly inspected every year and the Lady Superintendent may be informed that the institution is under the control of Government and the Department and not of the College Committee as she appears to imagine.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
H J Bhabha
Inspector General.

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Date of issue 21 11 05

Signed by Rangaiya

READ — Letter
~~D.O~~ dated the 29th June 1904 from the Director of Education in Mysore Submitting for orders Copy of letter of the 10th June from Mr. G. E. Palethorpe, Lady Superintendent of the Maharanis College at Mysore Requesting that She may be promoted to Grade A II (400-50-700) of Educational Officers

ORDER THEREON —No 2. Subsequent correspondence ending with letter No 11257/699 dated the 30th June 1905 from the same officer Submitting the

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SUBJECT

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Lady Supdt's explanation on the unfavorable report of about the college
the College by the Inspecting
officers together with his own
Remarks thereon

Order thereon
No 5248 dt 21/11/05
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The Govt of H.H the
Maharaja of Mysore are of opinion
that the question of transfer
of the Lady Supdt should
stand over till the result
of the forthcoming inspection
of the College is known The
Dy Dir of Edn is requested to
inspect the college himself this year
and submit a report to
Govt. at an early date

dt 18/11/05

dt 18/11/05 Secretary
To the Dy Dir of Edn in Mysore

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18/11/05